

# 20 Days of Supreme Slaughter CLOTHING and SHOES at ..THE HUB..

Sooner than pack up and pay freight charges on our stock it will be sold here in Pendleton at

## 25c. on the Dollar

Store will be closed MONDAY AND TUESDAY to mark down every article in stock to prices that will paralyze you. Store opens WEDNESDAY MORNING when you will find our usually low prices smashed to smithereens.

### Pants Slaughtered

75c FOR MEN'S \$1.50 TO \$2.00 PANTS.  
\$1.00 FOR MEN'S \$2.50 TO \$3.00 PANTS.  
\$1.50 FOR MEN'S \$3.50 TO \$4.00 PANTS.  
\$2.00 FOR MEN'S \$4.50 TO \$5.00 PANTS.  
\$3.00 FOR MEN'S \$5.50 TO \$6.00 PANTS.

**15c for Boys' 50c Pants**

### Suits Slaughtered

\$2.95 FOR MEN'S \$7.50 AND \$10.00 WOOL SUITS.  
\$4.95 FOR MEN'S \$10.00 AND \$15.00 WOOL SUITS.  
\$7.95 FOR MEN'S \$17.50 AND \$20.00 WOOL SUITS.  
\$10.00 FOR MEN'S \$22.50 TO \$25.00 WOOL SUITS.

### Umbrellas for Cost of Handles

50c FOR FINE \$1.50 28-INCH UMBRELLA.  
\$1.00 FOR FINE \$2.50 28-INCH UMBRELLA.

SWEEPERS, CARDIGANS, ODD COATS AND SUITS AND ALL STRICTLY AT 10c ON THE DOLLAR.

### Overcoats Next to Nothing

\$3.50 FOR A FINE \$10.00 MELTON OVERCOAT.  
\$5.00 FOR A FINE \$15.00 MELTON OVERCOAT.  
\$7.50 FOR A FINE \$20.00 MELTON OVERCOAT.  
\$10.00 FOR A FINE \$25.00 WINTER OVERCOAT.  
\$15.00 FOR A FINE \$35.00 WINTER OVERCOAT.

### UNDERWEAR at 25c on the Dollar

25c FOR MEN'S FINE \$1.00 WOOL UNDERWEAR.  
25c FOR MEN'S FINE \$1.50 WOOL UNDERWEAR.  
25c FOR MEN'S FINE \$2.50 WOOL UNDERWEAR.  
\$1.00 FOR MEN'S FINE \$2.50 AND \$3.00 WOOL UNDERWEAR.

### 25c Handkerchiefs for 5c

5c FOR FINE 25c HANDKERCHIEFS.

### Overshirts Slaughtered

25c FOR GOOD, STRONG 50c AND 65c WORK SHIRTS.  
35c FOR GOOD, STRONG 75c AND 85c WORK SHIRTS.  
50c FOR GOOD, STRONG \$1.00 AND \$1.25 WORK SHIRTS.  
75c FOR GOOD, STRONG \$1.50 AND \$2.00 WORK SHIRTS.

### DRESS SHIRTS SACRIFICED WITH A VENGEANCE

25c FOR \$1.00, \$1.50 AND \$2.00 SOFT AND STIFF FRONT SHIRTS.

### Hats for a Song

50c FOR \$1.00 AND \$1.50 SOFT HATS.  
\$1.00 FOR \$2.00 AND \$3.00 SOFT HATS.  
\$1.50 FOR \$3.50 AND \$4.00 SOFT HATS.  
\$2.00 FOR \$4.50 AND \$5.00 SOFT HATS.

### Suspenders

19c FOR ALL OUR 50c AND 65c SUSPENDERS.  
25c FOR ALL OUR 75c AND 1.00 SUSPENDERS.  
50c FOR ALL OUR \$1.50 AND \$2.00 SUSPENDERS.

### Shoes at a Supreme Slaughter

\$1.00 BUYS \$2.00 AND \$2.50 BOX CALF SHOES.  
\$1.50 BUYS \$3.00 AND \$3.50 DRESS SHOES.  
\$2.00 BUYS \$3.50 AND \$4.00 DRESS SHOES.  
\$2.50 BUYS \$4.00 AND \$5.00 DRESS SHOES.  
\$3.50 BUYS \$6.00 AND \$7.50 DRESS SHOES.

### Boys' Shoes

1.25 FOR BOX KANGAROO SHOES WORTH \$3.00.

### Boy's Suits

\$1.50 FOR BOYS' \$3.00, \$4.00 AND \$5.00 SUITS.

### CAPS--Cap the Climax

25c FOR CAPS WORTH 75c.  
50c FOR CAPS WORTH \$1.50.

### \$7.50 Blankets \$2.95

\$2.95 FOR ALL OUR \$7.50 ALL WOOL BLANKETS.  
\$2.00 FOR ALL OUR \$5.00 AND \$6.00 COMFORTS.

### \$1.00 Neckwear 25c.

25c FOR ALL OUR FINE 50c, 75c, AND \$1.00 IMPORTED NECKWEAR.  
10c FOR ALL OUR FINE 25c AND 50c IMPORTED NECKWEAR.

YOURS FOR TWENTY DAYS OF THE BIGGEST BARGAIN GIVING IN OREGON

## PAUL STRAIN

### PLEA FOR IRRIGATION.

#### Nysa Progress Makes Striking Argument for Malheur Project.

The Nysa Progress, published at Nysa, Malheur county, prints the following impassioned plea for the acceptance of the Malheur government irrigation scheme by the people of the county.

"The large portion of the business of the world is done on borrowed capital on which interest is paid," says the Progress. "Large enterprises are built with borrowed money and interest paid for its use. The Owyhee ditch has \$50,000 of borrowed capital on which it pays 8 per cent interest.

The same company is borrowing money for improvements and is paying 10 per cent interest for its use. If it pays to pay interest on borrowed capital, and the Owyhee people, as well as people engaged in other business enterprises evidently think it does, why will it not pay to do business where you can get the money without interest?

"We, as a people, are made the heretofore unheard of offer of unlimited capital to construct a perfect irrigation system and all we are asked to do is to repay the actual cost on the installment plan. No offer could be more generous, except a free gift, and yet we find people opposing it. The very people who are paying high interest on borrowed capital oppose it. How can they explain this inconsistency? We would like to see some one make the attempt."

### SLEEP IS KILLING HIM.

#### Peculiar Malady Attacks a Soldier Boy From Luzon.

John A. Smith, a soldier recently sent home from the Philippines, is being held at the insanity ward of the Emergency hospital, the victim of a peculiar malady said to have been brought on by exposure at the islands, says the San Francisco Examiner. Although physically strong, he seems to be an imbecile and utterly unconscious of everything about him.

Constantly he sleeps, except when with great difficulty the attendants succeed in arousing him sufficiently to compel him to eat. Even while eating he remains in a stupor and can not be induced to speak except in incoherent whispers. The surgeons think that he will sleep himself to death. This strange patient has been under observation six days and has made no improvement. His home is in Ohio, and the army officials who placed him there in the hospital in-

tend to send him there is he recovers sufficiently.

Deputy City Physician W. L. Stevens is of the opinion that the patient is a victim of a malady peculiar to tropical Africa.

"Persons afflicted with this strange disease have been known to sleep themselves to death," he said. "While I am not prepared to state at this time that the patient is a victim of this disease, the symptoms point very much that way. The climatic conditions of the interior of Luzon are known to have a debilitating effect upon those from a more temperate zone, after residing there for any great length of time. Of all the sick soldiers who have returned from the Philippines, this is the first case of the kind that has come under my notice."

### HAY KING OF UMATILLA COUNTY

F. B. Steen Will Raise 1600 Tons of Hay Next Season.

Sixteen hundred tons of hay is the amount which F. B. Steen expects to raise next season from the lands which he is farming in the Hudson Bay district, says the Milton Eagle. He is operating two farms, one of 100 acres of the Coombs place, and the Harvey Young farm, consisting of 380 acres, 170 of which is fine alfalfa land.

This land produces three crops during season which aggregate something over five tons per acre. The hay last year sold for \$5 per ton in the stack and the cost of producing the hay is estimated at less than \$1 per ton, so it will be seen that there is a good profit in the business. In addition the land affords good pasturage, after the third cutting until cold weather and is worth several dollars per acre for that purpose.

The quality of the hay raised is of the finest grade and range stock will fatten up on it in from six weeks to two months ready for the market without any other feed.

"This farm is one of the oldest in the Hudson Bay district and is too well known to need describing. The Wainia Dressed Meat Co. is at present feeding about 400 head of cattle on the feeding grounds there and it requires two men constantly engaged in hauling hay to them. There are six feeding pens containing several acres each and being dry and sheltered from the weather make an ideal place for fattening the cattle.

Mr. Steen's special pride is his herd of thoroughbred registered red Durham cattle. There are 40 in the herd at present and command ready sale at

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from \$80 to \$100 each, and in some cases \$125 is paid for an especially fine animal. As the cost of producing this class of cattle is no greater than for an inferior grade, the advantage of raising thoroughbred stock is apparent.

Medicos Leave for Panama. Baltimore, Md., Dec. 27.—Some 60 or 75 delegates to the fourth Pan-American Medical Congress, which is to meet in Panama next week, sailed from Baltimore today on the steamer Athos.

The man who enjoys his work wastes no time looking at the clock.

### Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages Ely's Cream Balm

cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Creams Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large size, 50 cents at Drug-gists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents.

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